



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

August 17, 2012

Joseph M. Birkenstock
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RE: MUR 6611
Friends of Laura Ruderman
Abbot Taylor, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Birkenstock:

This is in response to your e-mail dated August 16, 2012, requesting a 30-day extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. Considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on or before September 20, 2012.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kim Collins". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Kim Collins, Paralegal
Complaints Examination and
Legal Administration

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